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INTERESTING ITEMS FROM EL VERANO AND VICINITY.

Weekly Record of all the Happenings in His Town as Faithfully Recorded by Our Wide-Awake Reporter, "Archie McKiver."

The writer wishes all a Happy New Year.

Mrs. P. D. Wheatland spent last Saturday in San Francisco.

Mrs. A. L. Hughes is spending the holidays in San Francisco.

C. A. Bergstrom spent Saturday and Sunday in San Francisco.

Miss A. McPherson of Los Angeles is visiting at the T. H. Baines residence.

Howard Phillips left for San Bernardino Monday, and will be absent a week.

Mrs. F. LaFranchi was shopping in the metropolis the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ryan, accompanied by Joe Ryan of Sonoma, were passengers for Benicia on Tuesday afternoon's S.P. train.

Tony Serres, after spending a few weeks here with relatives, returned to Alder Glen Springs, of which he is proprietor, last Saturday.

Frank Sprague, a well known Sonoma attorney, accompanied by Judge Campbell of Sonoma, was here last Friday transacting business.

H. H. Granice motored through town Monday. Harry was feeling his way and it looked to the writer as though he was just learning to run his new gas machine.

Messrs. Chas. Danieli, Joe Garoni and John Wack autoed to the county seat the latter part of last week, Harry Baines, the well-known chauffeur, being at the wheel.

Everybody here was rejoicing last Saturday at the outcome of the Lewis-O'Brien water lawsuit. Why, even a blind man would know that the O'Brien's were in the right.

John Basiloff left last Thursday for the metropolis. John looked like a college youth as he boarded the train here and no doubt made a big hit with his "glad rags" when he landed in Frisco.

Miss Nellie O'Brien and Mrs. Kate Carriger came down from Santa Rosa on Saturday afternoon's Southern Pacific train looking as happy as larks over winning their hard-fought water suit with L. L. Lewis.

Charley Danieli, the well-known and popular proprietor of the Depot Saloon, is giving out a cracker-jack calendar to his friends for a Christmas present. Mr. Danieli has made it a practice of giving some sort of a gift each year to his friends, but this year's gift excels all others.

Jim Barry, the heavy weight boxer, now sojourning at Parente's Villa, is the greatest sport that ever pulled Santa Claus' whiskers. Jim dropped into Mullen's store Saturday and played the Santa Claus raffle to the tune of eighty chances, winning a number of pennants and small boxes of candy which he scattered to the four winds to the delight of the small boys who mistook the huge boxer for the only and real Santa. Jim expects to win the capital prize and will be on deck when the big number is drawn and he will no doubt stand a big chance of winning it.

"The hammer of Knockery" will be burned here New Year's eve, and everything is to be run along in a progressive manner beginning the 1st of January. An improvement club, which has recently been organized and received its charter, will look forward to the betterment of Sonoma Valley, and with a new roadmaster to look after our public thoroughfares and many other things that will change hands the first of the year El Verano is going to the front and with a big bonfire the death knell will sound and the black craped hamster will be burned and will become a thing of the past.

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CALENDAR DAY IN SUPERIOR COURT

Judges Seawell and Denny Dispose of Many Cases

A resume of the calendar day proceedings in the Superior Court on Monday is as follows:

In Judge Denny's department permissions to lease property were granted in the estates of Juliet and Waldo Tomassini.

Petitions to set aside estates to widows were made in the estates of B. F. Emery and P. W. Gardiner.

The F. J. Schwarz estate matter went over to January 6.

The final accounts were settled and distribution ordered of the estates of Elizabeth Dethelmsen, William McKinlay, L. Gibson, L. H. Newland et al minors and M. Belle Leppo.

The petition to vest homestead in the estate of J. R. Mowbray was granted.

These matters were continued: Estates of A. Giovannini and Robt. Ingle to December 30; Bobst vs. Bobst, Torrey vs. Shea et al., Bartoli vs. Vergolini to January 6.

The suit of Hepner vs. Urton was dismissed.

The suit of Albers vs. Stine & Kendrick was up for argument.

The suit of Nelson vs. Nelson, for divorce, was set for trial for December 30.

In Judge Seawell's department the suit of Smith vs. Parsons was on the calendar for argument on motion to tax costs.

The demurrer in the suit of Smith vs. Behmer et al., was submitted.

The trial of the suit of St. Ores vs. Dupont was set for trial for February 15.

A correction was allowed in the complaint of Nicoll vs. Nicoll, merely as regards a date.

The suit of Tabournel vs. Tabournel was set for trial for December 30.

The suit of Rizzo vs. Cnopius et al. was on the calendar on motion for a new trial.

These matters were continued: Locke vs. Durand, Finley vs. Finley, to January 30; White vs. White, Union Labor Hospital Association vs. Grace, Chartrand vs. Fitzgerald, to January 6; Clough vs. Clough, Harris vs. Harris, to December 30.

Congregational Church Services.
Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Mr. Davidson will speak on the subject "Incentives to Activity and Achievement," and in the evening a "Backward and Forward Look."

At the evening services Miss Emily Poppe will give an organ recital for 10 minutes beginning at 7:20. Her program will consist of selections taken from Christmas music, Schumann's "Traumerer" and other pieces.

Mr. A. T. Jansen will sing "The Holy City."

The Sunday School meets at 10. We have a place for you and your children.

The public is invited to come and join us in these services.

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DEATH OF MRS. ROSE BAINES PETERSON.

Passes Away at Her El Verano Home After a Long and Patient Illness.

Mrs. Rose Baines Peterson, wife of L. Peterson the well-known lumber merchant of El Verano, passed away at her home in that place last Monday, after a long and patient illness. The deceased was a daughter of Mrs. Sarah Baines and sister of Thomas, James and W. Baines, well-known and prominent residents of this valley.

Mrs. Peterson was a most lovable woman and her passing will be keenly felt by a large circle of relatives and friends.

The deceased was a native of Canada and aged 35 years 9 months and 23 days.

The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends in this valley.

Rubke-Weber Nuptials

The marriage of Miss Louise Weber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weber of this city, and Mr. Grover Clarence Rubke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rubke of Schellville, was solemnized at the Weber home last Sunday, Rev. Mr. Davidson, at present occupying the pulpit of the Congregational Church, officiating.

The young couple were united under a floral arch of manzanita and a wedding bell of smilax.

Miss Henrietta Weber, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Alfred Rubke, brother of the groom, was best man. The bride was handsomely gowned in white crepe de chene, trimmed with pearls, and wore a veil with orange blossoms. The bridesmaid wore a dress of blue silk mull.

The home was handsomely decorated and an elaborate dinner was served to the invited guests.

The bridal party left for Petaluma late in the afternoon, where they took the southbound train for a brief honeymoon in Los Angeles. Upon their return the newly wedded couple will make their future home in Vineburg in a new cottage of their own.

Pendleton's Lecture

Norman Pendleton, state organizer of the Socialist party for the first congressional district, addressed a large and representative audience at the Don Theatre last Sunday afternoon. He took for his subject, "The Moral Value of a Mutton Chop."

Local organizer Wm. Trudgen introduced Edward B. Payne of Glen Ellen, who acted as chairman and delivered a brief address which was very well received.

At the conclusion of Mr. Payne's address, Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton favored the audience with several well-rendered vocal selections, the audience joining in the chorus. This was a very pleasing feature.

Mr. Pendleton's lecture was masterly and was listened to with deep interest by a large audience. Many non-Socialists were present.

It is the intention of local Socialists to hold a public meeting once a month. J. Stitt Wilson has consented to speak here, and he may be secured for either the January or February meeting.

Ladies' and gents' clothing cleaned and pressed. We make them look good as new by our process of dry cleaning. Parrent, The Tailor.

THE MISSES O'BRIEN WIN THEIR LAW SUIT

A Jury in Judge Seawell's Court Decide Every Point in Their Favor as Against L. L. Lewis.

The water rights law suit between Nellie, Kate and Mary O'Brien, heirs of the late John O'Brien, and L. L. Lewis, representing the Sonoma Valley Water, Land & Power Company, which has been pending in the courts for a long time, was decided in favor of the O'Brien heirs by a jury in Judge Seawell's department of the Superior Court on Friday afternoon of last week, after engaging the attention of the court and jury for five days.

The verdict of the jury was a sweeping one in favor of the Misses O'Brien who won out on every point. The verdict as rendered was by questions and answers.

Q—If you find that the defendants did waste water, how much if any, has the plaintiff been damaged thereby?
A—None.

Q—If you find that defendants did waste any water taken by them out of the south branch of Lennox creek, how much was so wasted?
A—None.

Did defendants waste the water or any part thereof taken by them out of the south branch of Lennox creek?
A—No.

Q—What land, other than said garden was irrigated from said pond?
A—The small field adjoining the garden, south of the house.

Q—Was any land irrigated with the water from the pond other than the garden just south of the house?
A—Yes.

Q—During what years were said lands (other than said garden) irrigated from said pond?
A—Years of 1901, 1902 and 1903.

Q—Have the defendants put all the water taken by them during the summer months from the south branch of Lennox creek to a beneficial use?
A—Yes.

Q—What quantity of water, if any, have the defendants acquired by adverse use to take from the south branch of the Lennox creek?
A—All they could get.

Q—How much damage, if any, have the defendants sustained by reason of the breaking down of their water flume in August, 1912.
A—\$20.

C. E. Hoag, Foreman.

The attorneys for the late John O'Brien's daughters were Allison B. Ware, Thos. J. Butts and J. T. Campbell.

The O'Brien girls have long and persistently combatted for their legal rights in the courts of this county and the verdict of the jury was no surprise to the old residents of this valley familiar with the case.

Vegetable Seeds for Free Distribution.

Through the courtesy of Senator George C. Perkins we are now enabled to furnish government vegetable seeds to the readers of the Index-Tribune gratis. The seeds consist of peas, lettuce, muskmelon, onion, radish, endive and turnip.

Parties desiring these seed will please call for them in person. They will not be given to school children without a written order from the parents.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES AND HAPPENINGS IN TOWN

Doings of the Various Sets in this City and Immediate Vicinity—The Goings and Comings and Other Items of General Interest.

Joe Lucio was a local passenger to the metropolis Christmas day.

Clayton Darling, a young blood of this place, spent Sunday last in the bay city.

Miss Katie McDonnell is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDonnell of Sebastopol.

Jack Stademan came down from Siegler Springs, Lake County, last Monday to spend the holidays here.

Mrs. Adelaide Hope and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Woodworth spent Christmas with Mrs. Claire Hope Hyde at her Berkeley home.

H. H. Granice and Miss Ramona Granice were the guests of relatives and friends in San Francisco on Christmas day. They motored to the city early in the morning, arriving there at 10 o'clock.

Miss Pearl Allen, the charming and beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allen of Glen Ellen, was led to the altar by Dr. T. L. Rogers of Berkeley the day after Christmas. The nuptials were celebrated in St. John's Episcopal Church of that city.

The grand mask ball of the Native Sons to be held in Union Hall on New Year's eve is the all absorbing topic among party going people in this valley. The Native Sons are making great preparations for the event. One of the features will be the decorating of the hall for the occasion, an expert decorator from San Francisco having been engaged for this purpose alone. A costumer from the metropolis will also be at the hall for the accommodation of those who desire to be present in mask. Fine music has also been engaged and nothing is being left undone by the members of Sonoma Parlor of Native Sons to make the ball the event of the season.

A Happy New Year.

Julius Fochetti was in the City Wednesday and Thursday.

Mayor M. E. Cummings spent Christmas with his Santa R relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Lynn spent Christmas with relatives in Oakland.

George Bulotti was up from city Sunday for a short visit with his folks.

Misses Juillier and Webb Oakland are guests of Mr. Mrs. R. E. Lynch.

Fred. Dubring, Jr., a student at the California University home for the holidays.

Ralph Evans, accompanied by his sister, Miss Evans, was town from Santa Rosa last Sunday.

Arthur Drake journeyed to the city last Wednesday and spent Christmas with his folks in city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Johanson returned last Monday from a 4 days visit with relatives in K county.

Carlos Empanan is here to spend the holidays at the old Gen. lejo home of his mother Mrs. V. Empanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. phy of Alameda were the guests of Mrs. M. E. and Miss Flo Murphy Christmas eve and

Rudolph Wagner, who is attending the Hastings Law School the metropolis, is spending holidays with his parents, Mr. Mrs. O. R. Wagner.

Miss Georgie Andrews entertained by Mr. and Mr. lord of Oakland on Christmas and will remain with bay friends over the holidays.

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Sonoma, California, December 28, 1912

Justice to the Hen

It is coming into her own. Here in America we have long
this modest and useful fowl as a national institution, but
under date of this appreciation has not been of world-wide extent. We
the hen is responsible for no small part of our national

"Guy E. other nations have yet to learn her value."

was placed on day is at hand. The news comes from London that the

delinquency poultry experts, who have been in convention there, are

lay, but the glad tidings that there is money in hens for every

of obtaining keep them if only a few trifling things are done for their

A talking well-being.

ing startling are, a new organization has been formed. It is a perma-

hen-pecked bional poultry association, with headquarters in London.

Hay Ma ose is to encourage and improve the breeding of hens

the world. As is fitting, an American, Dr. Peal, a noted

In their bu general secretary and organizer.

ending Decem thing that the association is to do is to hold a world's

Co. say: "Receipts of poultrymen in London two years from now, and at that

week amounts are to be made for taking a world's census of hens,

per cent increments are to be made for taking a world's census of hens,

arrivals. This the gathering of definite data regarding the best and

be more than the present dele breeds.

road tracks ar rather crowded justice to be done. While the world has been busy

moving as freemination of information regarding more blatant but less

ago. The ra s, the hen has been suffered to remain in seclusion, quiet-

has done a tre her business of supplying us with the succulent egg and

good and prob weaker feeling, chick. She has laid the foundations of the human

prevented any apparent in the more noise than her modest cluck and regular morning

"The interior section south of fairly good, altho of all virtues, and perhaps for the lack of sensation-

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section and holders of hayolitious mother and, following the ancient saw, she de-

seeking a mark wisdom by retiring with the coming of the first shades

the hay is bein, warrant shipme tion. Although all this category of virtues which are hers she has been

large lots of hay We do not know how many there are of her in the

lots here and ther aggregate amount is travelers fail to tell us of the distinctive breeds

Counter in her journeyings, we do not even find stuff-

unted effigies of her in prominent places, to say nothing of

nts in Parian marble which should be erected to commemorate

While tuss fame.

western P was passin all this, we trust, is to be changed. The world is coming to

crossing recognition of the value of the hen. More power to the inter-

gers whiconal association!—Chicago Inter Ocean.

of tl dent The California Legislature which convenes at Sacramento next

Fort. age exce will consist of 72 Republicans elected as or affiliated with the

window. es; 12 regular Republicans, 25 Democrats and 1 Socialist.

Samber of that party to sit in a California Legislature. The

Seamly will be composed of 45 Progressives, 25 Democrats, 9 regu-

ty dtepublicans and 1 Socialist. In the Senate the Progressive. ma-

guaran. Furnit will consist of 27 members. The Democrats will be represented

on districts and the Republicans from three.

No Republican will object to Meyer Lissner's refusal to be called

epublican. Every Republican will concede that he is not a Repub-

a, but ery Republican objects to Lissner and his band of Chris-

soldiers controlling the machinery of the Republican party and

suming to act for the Republican party in an executive capacity.

Lissner turn the Republican party loose. It is now held captive

State by its avowed enemies. Its organization is being employ-

to defeat its principles and purposes.—Oakland Tribune.

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Hay Market.

Somers & Co., San Francisco, in their weekly bulletin of December 24th, report the condition of the hay market as follows:

"Although receipts of hay have declined somewhat recently, the market shows an easier tone. This week's arrivals amounted to 1883 tons in comparison with 2548 tons the week previous. During the holiday season trade is usually very quiet, consumers for the most part preferring to clean out their lofts and not lay in any new supply before the first of the year. It is to be hoped that trade will be more active later on, for unless there is more activity there must be a decline in prices, the market being unable to take care of the hay which is now arriving."

"Interior trade is a little dull right now, although there is some little inquiry for hay for shipment south. This demand is only for the very best grades of tame oat and barley hay which is in light supply. Whatever movement there has been in this direction is inconsiderable and will probably amount to but little unless we have a continued dry spell. A good rain throughout the State is bound to have a depressing effect on the hay markets in all sections."

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Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, made payable to W. W. Felt, Jr., County Clerk, in an amount not less than ten per cent of the bid, as a guarantee that the successful bidder will within the time prescribed, complete the purchase of said bonds. Bids of unsuccessful bidders to be returned; provided that the check of the successful bidder will be forfeited to Sonoma County should he fail to complete the purchase of said bonds.

The amount of the bonds to be sold is one thousand dollars in ten bonds, of the denomination of one hundred (\$100.00) each; bearing date of February 1st, 1913, and bear interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum, payable annually.

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The bonds above mentioned are to mature as follows:

Bond No. 1 to run one year.
Bond No. 2 to run one year.
Bond No. 3 to run two years.
Bond No. 4 to run two years.
Bond No. 5 to run three years.
Bond No. 6 to run three years.
Bond No. 7 to run four years.
Bond No. 8 to run four years.
Bond No. 9 to run five years.
Bond No. 10 to run five years.

Dated, December 5th, 1912.

W. W. FELT, Jr., Clerk.

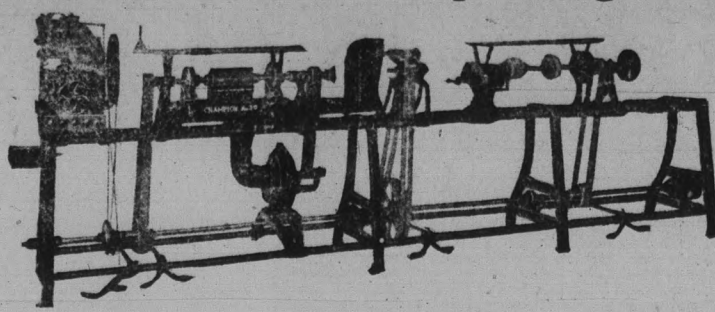
Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company

Official Time Schedule.

Leave Sonoma.	Effective NOV. 6, 1912	Arrive Sonoma.
DAILY	TO AND FROM	DAILY.
7:06 A M	San Francisco	10:41 A M
3:37 P M	San Rafael and Intermediates.	6:59 P M
10:41 A M	Glen Ellen and Intermediates.	10:41 A M
6:59 P M	and Intermediates.	6:59 P M
7:06 A M	Soyato	10:41 A M
10:41 A M	Pealuma	10:41 A M
3:38 P M	Santa Rosa and Intermediates.	6:59 P M
7:06 A M	Cloverdale	10:41 A M
10:41 A M	Healdsburg	10:41 A M
3:38 P M	Lynton and Intermediates.	6:59 P M
6:18 A M	Ukiah	10:41 A M
11:03 A M	and Intermediates	10:41 A M
3:41 P M	and Intermediates	6:59 P M
7:06 A M	Willits	10:41 A M
10:41 A M	and Sherwood	6:59 P M
7:04 A M	Sebastopol	10:41 A M
3:41 P M	and Intermediates.	6:59 P M
10:41 A M	Guerneville and Intermediates	6:59 A M
7:06 A M	SUNDAYS.	
10:41 A M		
4:17 P M		

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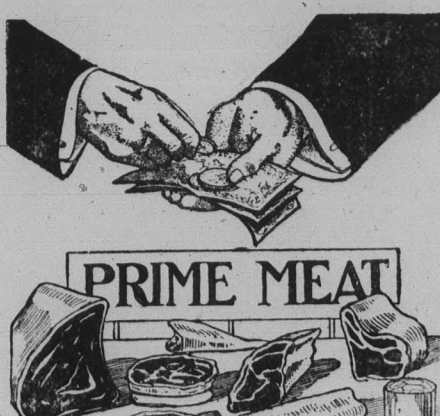


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VINEBURG NEWS ITEMS

"Jim" Tells in an Interesting Way all About the Week's Happenings in and About His Section of the Valley.

Vineburg was rather quiet on Monday. Not as many visitors as usual.

Red Batto, Miss Louise Batto, Miss Adele Andrieux motored to Petaluma on Thursday.

Thirty-six tons of evaporated apples was the output of the Cutsler drier near here this season.

Mrs. Morris Levy of Glen Ellen was the guest of her parents, Captain and Mrs. Bosch, on last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arnold of "The Knoll" are the guests of "San Francisco friends during the holidays.

W. R. Hansen, Sonoma's popular butcher and well known in this vicinity, was a Christmas visitor here on Wednesday.

Miss May Bosch has fully recovered from her severe attack of poison oak and will in a short time visit the metropolis.

Emilio Batto, warehouse foreman of John Batto & Sons, was the guest of friends in the bay cities Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. King of Alameda were the Christmas guests of Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wadsworth on the Hyde tract.

Gerald R. Hampton of San Francisco is the guest of Messrs. Gigerich & Callahan at the El Neido Poultry Yards on the Hyde tract.

The party that took those fruit trees and plants from Vineburg that belonged to Harry Kizer had better return or pay for them and save trouble. No questions asked.

A young lady friend of ours would like to buy a race horse, but she would like one that would balk but break away from under the wire clean.

Miss Mary Batto, after a visit to her sister Mrs. A. Fignone in San Francisco, returned home to spend the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Batto.

The following well known citizens of Vineburg were passengers on the south-bound train on last Monday: Arthur Batto, Celeste Andrieux, Mr. Walker and Richard Thomas. They all returned the same evening.

The home of Tony Silva on the Napa road was visited by Santa Claus on Christmas eve, who left the happy father and mother a little beautiful doll—a native daughter. Welcome to our golden shore, little one.

Our popular station agent Grove Rubie, who is well-known and highly respected by every one in the valley, was joined in wedlock on last Sunday in Sonoma, the happy bride being Miss Louise Andrieux, one of Sonoma's most estimable young ladies.

Theodor Antheman of Vineburg visited the metropolis on Sunday last and on his way home the same eve showed some the boys how to play pedro. You know your business, Tony.

Last Wednesday morning a handsome draught horse was received by John Batto & Sons from San Francisco. Arthur Batto purchased the animal on his last visit to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McDevitt and family of Sonoma, accompanied by Joe and Emile Andrieux, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Batto on Christmas day at their home near here. An elaborate dinner was served and the day was spent in an enjoyable manner. Mrs. Batto as hostess was ably assisted by her charming sister, Miss Adele Andrieux.

My esteemed brother reporter of El Verano proved himself quite an orator and I have no doubt that Archibald McKiver can give William Jennings Bryan a point or two yet from the way he spread himself at the Greek banquet. He is all right when it comes to speaking. It is just as Jim Small says, when Greek meets Greek then comes the tug of war. But when Greek meets Irish there will be a hot time in the old town. Vineburg, Dec. 25, 1912.

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ELOPEMENT OF YOUNG COUPLE

Wallace Collins of Napa and Merle Suttentfield of Eldridge Defy Stern Parents

Wallace Collins, son of County Clerk Collins of Napa, and Merle Suttentfield, the minor daughter of Wm. T. Suttentfield, Steward of the Sonoma State Home at Eldridge, were the principals in a sensational elopement last Sunday.

The parents of the young couple being strenuously opposed to their marriage they decided to elope. Young Collins came from Napa to Sonoma in an automobile last Saturday night and meeting Miss Suttentfield, who is said to be only 17 years of age, she jumped into the car and they made an all-night ride to Fairfield, Salano County, where they were married by a Justice of the Peace.

After the ceremony they communicated with their parents and stated they were about to start on their honeymoon.

EL VERANO ITEMS.

By ARCHIBALD MCKIVER.

(Continued from First Page.)

Wm. Wyatt spent Sunday in San Francisco.

Miss Nettie McConochie is visiting in San Jose.

Thos. Ryan and wife spent Christmas at Benicia.

Mrs. E. Kenny of San Francisco spent Sunday here.

Chas. Childs was in town from the Exposition City Sunday.

Carlos Emparan visited in Santa Rosa the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Coutts of Kenwood spent Christmas with town relatives.

Eugene Hunt of Martinez was a guest at the Weaver residence Sunday.

Miss Nellie O'Brien was a passenger to San Francisco Monday morning.

The El Verano public school closed last Friday for a two-week's vacation.

Miss Cecilia Dowdall is here from the city to spend the holidays with her folks.

Ralph Morris of the metropolis was visiting Sonoma Valley relatives last Sunday.

P. D. Wheatland was the guest of Agua Caliente friends the latter part of last week.

Mrs. H. D. Burmester spent the fore part of the week visiting in Oakland and the city.

A. H. Kemp, principal of our public school, left for Chico the fore part of the week.

Attorney Robert A. Poppe of Sonoma transacted legal business in Santa Rosa Monday.

Guy J. K. Bigelow and E. O. Gates autoed to Santa Rosa the latter part of last week.

L. L. Lewis and family of Berkeley spent Christmas on their ranch in the western foothills.

Mrs. A. Acquistapace of Agua Caliente went to San Francisco on Sunday afternoon's S. P. train.

Lee Flanders of San Francisco, manager of Chicago Jim Barry, was a guest at Parente's Villa last Sunday.

Wm. Cummings, district passenger and freight agent for the N. W. P., passed through here last Saturday, en route to Santa Rosa.

Mrs. J. Steckmeyer, accompanied by her two children and J. Steckmeyer, Sr., spent Monday and Tuesday with friends in San Francisco and Oakland.

The marriage of Miss Minnie Mannuck to Phillip Lager of San Francisco will be solemnized at the bride's residence next Sunday. A large number from San Francisco and vicinity will attend.

The "water wagon" vehicles are lining up and are all ready for passengers for a New Year's journey for which a number of our sports have engaged passage on January 1st over the anti-boose route of 1913.

A recall petition directed against Sheriff Fred. Eggers of San Francisco was started in that place last Monday morning. T. D. Batchelor, who formerly owned the old O'Brien ranch west of town and who was also a fire commissioner under the McCarthy administration, was chosen as the recall candidate against Sheriff Eggers.

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No recent feature of the theatre has made so profound a sensation in America or Europe as "The Blue Bird," with its beautiful philosophy, rare humor and pathos. In New York, at the New Theatre, it scored the greatest popular success of the season, attaining a run of 268 performances. In England, France, Germany and Australia it met with the same huge success, while in Russia 52 different companies are playing it throughout the provinces. Recently, a number of innovations from the London, Paris, Berlin, and Moscow productions have been added to the original New Theatre production, better to interpret the symbolism and poetry of the piece. Indeed, so carefully has the drama been staged that this production of "The Blue Bird," which will be revealed at the Cort Theatre, San Francisco, is probably the most wonderful piece of stagecraft that has ever been witnessed.

Certainly no other scene has yet been conceived that can compare in beauty and compelling weirdness with the "Palace of Night," the "Kingdom of the Past," the "Land of Happiness," and other fantastic realms, born of the poet's imagination, where Tytyl and Mytyl have their adventures.

In "The Blue Bird" Maeterlinck has revealed a new and comforting philosophy of life, expressed through the light and delicate fancy of the pursuit by two children of the "blue bird," the symbol of happiness. Beauty, fantasy, wisdom, humor and a delightful tenderness are all blended into one. "The Blue Bird" brings tears to the eyes and then chases them away with laughter; plunges you into reveries and then startles you with some joyous surprise. It is a play for young ones of all ages. Grown-ups with hearts will find in it quite as much joy as the six-year old.

Ladies' and gents' clothing cleaned and pressed. We make them look good as new by our process of dry cleaning. Parrent, The Tailor.

BOOSTERS WHO KNOW HOW TO BOOST

El Verano Development Association is an Organization That Has Set Out to Do Things

The El Verano Development Association held its regular meeting Wednesday night. This meeting was one grand success, as the association received its charter from the Secretary of the State. The hall was beautifully decorated with greens and red berries and there was a large attendance. Along with the charter, which was granted on Friday, December 13th, came thirteen new members.

After the business of the meeting had been transacted, the members partook of an elaborate turkey dinner, which was interspersed with vocal and instrumental music.

Every one present was more than pleased with what they learned about the aims and object of the association to boost the Sonoma Valley. A false impression has prevailed among some of our people that the El Verano Development Association has been organized for athletic purposes. The writer would suggest that all such should attend a meeting of the association and have that impression removed.

It has furthermore been stated to the writer personally that certain citizens in this valley are barred from joining the association. In this connection I would like to state, however, that any eligible citizen of either El Verano or Sonoma can join the association regardless of his station in life.

The association has been organized for the development of everything that is good for the community in general.

Politics, religion and nationality are things the association will not tolerate in its discussions at its meetings.

Trusting that this communication will be read by all having the welfare of Sonoma Valley at heart, and particularly the misinformed, and will be the means of inducing new members to join the association. I remain

A SONOMA VALLEY BOOSTER.

El Verano, Dec. 26, 1912.

Card of Thanks.

I take this means of extending my sincere thanks and appreciation to all friends for their kind acts and expressions of sympathy in my recent bereavement caused by the death of my beloved brother the late Jacob Kiser. I shall also ever remember the kindness of his fellow Moose Lodge members.

Mr. Wm. Kiser, Vallejo, Cal.

Sunday last a number our young athletes took the train for Muir Woods where they tramped all day, but when it was time to return home they found one of the number missing. The lost one, however, found his way out of the jungle, but too late to catch the train home that evening. He returned home on Monday morning's train.

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GLEN ELLEN AND VICINITY

Items Cleaned by our Live Awake Reporter the Past Week

Mr. and Mrs. Jack London left for Oakland and will be the guests of friends over New Year.

The stork arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Butner Thursday and left an 8-pound baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Collins (nee Suttentfield) returned one day this week after their sensational elopement of last Saturday.

Frank Bromer of Oakland spent Christmas inspecting property in this vicinity. Bromer & Chaffers is the newly formed real estate firm which will operate here in connection with an Oakland office.

Mr. L. H. Kling and fiancée were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilkins Christmas eve. A grand turkey banquet was held, after which dancing and a general good time was had until the wee small hours of the morning.

If dame rumor has it right Mr. Milton Sobbe, one of our most enterprising young business men, will be married sometime in the near future. Although no engagement has been announced, it is said that some fair young Woodland lassie has Milton's heart well in tow.

CHAPPIE.

Glen Ellen, Dec. 26, 1912

Automobile Mishap.

A very provoking automobile mishap took place last Monday at the entrance to the Mission Garage.

It appears that the Granice car, being driven by himself, started to enter the garage, meanwhile blowing his horn, when suddenly the Thomson car, with Paul Thomson at the wheel, started to back out without giving a warning signal. Seeing that a collision was inevitable, Granice immediately applied his emergency brake and brought his machine to a standstill within ten feet of the approaching Thomson car. Had the latter did the same thing there would have been no collision. He did nothing, however, to prevent the cars clashing and continued backing until he hit the Granice car, badly damaging it. Another thing there was a turntable in the garage and there was no excuse whatever for backing out and taking chances of a collision. The fact of the matter is the Dr. Thomson car backed into the Granice car when it was at a dead standstill, the horn of that car meanwhile tooting its warning notes.

The account in the Expositor is simply a piece of spite work. The accident was witnessed by M. Tope and Emil Andrieux, both of whom declare the accident happened just as we have stated above. Chas. McDunn and others heard Granice blowing his horn and also shouting to the driver of the other machine to put on his brakes.

All Wedgewood stoves and ranges are put out on 30 days' free trial and they never come back. For sale at the Sonoma Valley Furniture Co.

For Sale or Trade.

For sale or trade—An eight passenger bus in first class condition. Will sell for half its value. Apply Woodleaf Stables Ray E. Butten

Notice to Creditors

Estate of Ernest Emil Alber, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Johanna Alber, executrix of the will of Ernest Emil Alber, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Johanna Alber, at her residence at the "One Mile House," one mile south of the city of Sonoma, the same being her place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

JOHANNA ALBER, Executrix of the Will of Ernest Emil Alber, deceased. Dated at Sonoma, Dec. 14, 1912.

For Sale.

A few good work horses, weighing from 1,000 lbs to 1,400 lbs and priced from \$50.00 to \$85.00. They are bargains. Also, a six-year-old jet black Shetland saddle pony for \$100. Woodleaf Stables, Boyes Springs.

Worn Out Horses

Bought. Volunteer Hay for sale. 34 cents paid for sacks. Call on Geo. B. Carpenter, Petaluma road.

Lost---Seven Goats

Strayed from my premises back of Sonoma mountain, seven goats. Any information leading to their recovery will be suitably rewarded. Notify Sonoma Valley Stables, El Verano, or Peter Ponzoni, Petaluma.

Typewriting

Typewriting and shorthand at reasonable rates. M. E. Gottenberg—Tel. Main 743.

For Sale.

For Sale—Little pigs. Apply at Lawrence Villa Park.

For Sale—Fresh Jersey cow with calf. Also, two heifers which will come in fresh, one in March and one in May. Apply Austin Moore, El Verano.

FOR SALE—Straw for sale. Two or three hundred bales. Apply to Chas. Ramelli, old Johannsen place, Sonoma R. F. D. d14-4t

FOR SALE—A matched pair of horses. Good plow team. Apply to Robt. P. Hill, Eldridge.

FOR SALE—Ten foot Fairbanks Moss Windmill. Price \$20. Apply at this office.

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